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House Resolution 2168

By: Representatives Smith of the 70th and Brown of the 69th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Congratulating *The News and Banner*; and for other purposes.
- 2 WHEREAS, The News and Banner will be celebrating 130 years of weekly continuous
- 3 publication; and
- 4 WHEREAS, this outstanding organization has grown from its humble beginnings in 1876
- 5 and has prospered under the guiding hands of Pleasant T. McCutchen and his son, Berrien
- 6 T. McCutchen, into one of the most respected suppliers of local and community news in
- 7 Heard County and Georgia; and
- 8 WHEREAS, this remarkable news publisher has established a glowing reputation of renown
- 9 throughout Georgia for its ability to accommodate changes in the news industry and
- 10 continues to meet the diversified needs of its customers with friendly and professional service
- and epitomizes its motto "Do Right and Fear Not"; and
- 12 WHEREAS, this superlative association has dedicated itself to providing continuing
- 13 innovation in the news industry and remains dedicated to the principles of skill, integrity, and
- 14 responsibility; and
- 15 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the outstanding accomplishments of this
- amazing company be appropriately recognized.
- 17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
- 18 the members of this body congratulate *The News and Banner* on the occasion of its 130th
- anniversary, commend it for its many outstanding contributions on behalf of the citizens of
- 20 Georgia, and extend to it their best wishes for continued corporate growth, development, and
- 21 success in the future.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized

2 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to *The News and Banner*.